



## **Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors**

### ***Supervisor John F. Weishan, Jr., 16th District***

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### **Supervisor Weishan Proposing Marijuana Referendum for November Ballot**

MILWAUKEE – Supervisor John F. Weishan, Jr. wants to give Milwaukee County residents an opportunity to weigh in on the question of personal marijuana use, as well as commercial regulation and taxation, by placing an advisory referendum on the November 6 ballot.

*"It's time for Wisconsin to join the many states across the country that have legalized marijuana and benefited from the revenue that comes with commercial sale and taxation of one of America's largest cash crops," said Supervisor Weishan.*

Weishan's proposed referendum question asks voters "Do you favor allowing adults 21 years of age and older to engage in the personal use of marijuana, while also regulating commercial marijuana-related activities, and imposing a tax on the sale of marijuana?"

On Friday, May 11, the Committee on Judiciary, Safety, and General Services will consider Weishan's proposal to place the referendum on the November ballot.

Committee meetings are open to the public and provide an opportunity for public comment.

If the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors adopts Weishan's resolution, the County Clerk will add the referendum question to all Milwaukee County ballots for the November election.

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